



U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, NOVEMBER 11 —
Last 24 hours' rainfall, trace; Temperature, max. 78,
min. 69; Weather, Cool and fine; light trades.

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HONOLULU, HAWAII TERRITORY, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1904.

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

KAMANA IS NEW WARDEN

Deputy Promoted to Head of Oahu Prison.

Wm. Kamana was last evening appointed Warden of Oahu Prison, vice Wm. Henry, now High Sheriff of the Territory.

Warden Kamana is a Hawaiian about 50 years of age, who has been Deputy Warden for the past ten years. For seven years he was Deputy Warden under Mr. Henry, who speaks of him in the highest terms. He states that the new warden is a strong, capable, careful officer.

Previous to becoming Deputy Warden, Mr. Kamana had been a member of the police force, and prior to that time worked on a plantation under Col. Soper. Throughout all his service he has proven himself a good, faithful official and one in whom his superiors in office have reposed every trust.

Mr. Kamana was born at Waihee, Maui, of poor parents in 1854. He attended school up to eighteen years of age, traveling daily four miles for instruction and paying his own tuition by manual labor. Leaving school at eighteen he went to work under contract on a sugar plantation at \$10 per month. At the end of three years he was receiving \$13 a month and had the confidence and good-will of his employers.

In 1879 he went to work as luna on Ookala plantation of which Col. Soper afterwards became manager. He began work here at \$35 per month and "found," and when he left six years later his salary had been increased to \$60 per month and "found."

In 1886, Col. Soper who had become Marshal of the Kingdom, sent for Mr. Kamana to come to Honolulu to fill the position of night-watchman at the Government Building. Owing to the political changes of '87, Mr. Kamana was reduced to an ordinary police officer under Marshal Kaulukou. Through obedience and faithfulness he rose to the rank of Captain. Under the Marshalship of C. B. Wilson, Mr. Kamana again lost his job through political changes.

Nothing daunted, Mr. Kamana went down to the wharves and handled freight for the steamers. In 1891 he worked as a freight hand on the O. R. & L. Co. He was soon afterward recalled by Marshal Wilson and reinstated in his position of Captain of Police, which position he held up to the overthrow of the monarchy. Politics again sent him down the line and he became a modest detective under Marshal Ashley. When the late Marshal Hitchcock came into office, Mr. Kamana was appointed Captain of Guards and Turnkey at Oahu Prison, where he was advanced to the responsible billet of Deputy Jailor.

PASTOR PEARSON HAS GOOD ASSIGNMENT

Rev. G. L. Pearson, formerly pastor of the Methodist church here and presiding elder of the District, has one of the best appointments of his church in California. He is presiding elder of the Napa District with a wide jurisdiction and a residence in Santa Rosa. Mr. Pearson is appreciated in his denomination and is regarded as a rising man. His son, who graduated at Punahou last year, is preparing for the ministry.

Pacific Mail Wants Steamers.

SEATTLE, October 28.—The Pacific Mail Steamship Company has agents in the city endeavoring to charter two vessels. They are reported to be looking over the Nome fleet, many of whose vessels will tie up for the winter. The Pacific Mail wants a large passenger and freight carrier for the Mexican run and another for the San Francisco-Portland route. Water traffic, both passenger and freight, between San Francisco and Portland is reported to be rapidly increasing, in view of the business arising from the Lewis and Clark exposition which opens in the Oregon metropolis next year.

DISCUSSION OF CIVICS

Withington Talks to Research Club.

The Young Men's Research Club, which met last evening at the residence of C. H. Atherton, had a large attendance. The feature of the evening was an address by Mr. D. L. Withington upon Civic Righteousness. The subject dealt with ideals in the conduct of civic affairs and the relationship of the citizen with the affairs of the community in which he resides.

Mr. Withington, who was at the head of the Civic Reform organization of San Diego, spoke strongly against the grafting methods of present-day politics and pointed out the remedy. His address was earnest, instructive and to the point, teaching civic righteousness and the wide and common need of its application.

In one portion of his address Mr. Withington said it was his fortune to have met Booker Washington a few years ago. The meeting was a revelation to him of the excellent qualities of the negro educator. "He was one of the greatest men I ever met," the speaker said. "One of the fine qualities I observed in Mr. Washington was that he was absolutely devoid of vanity, despite the honors and attentions that had been showered upon him. Another was that his mission was not so much after all, to elevate the negro as it was to elevate the white man. His idea is that the health of the community is the health of the weakest spot in it. A community is strong, vigorous, and capable as the substructure on which it rests."

President Bryan, in expressing his thanks to Mr. Withington, said that the matter was food for considerable thought. He thought the subject should be brought up at a future meeting of the club for some discussion, and if possible to evolve some practical uses which might be laid before the legislature.

Mr. Owens, the secretary, presented the report of the Committee on Park Reservations for Punchbowl and Tantalus. The committee had reported by passing a resolution to the effect that the matter had been thoroughly investigated and it was their idea that a bill be presented to the legislature setting aside parks on these two places, with the additional proposition that some place along the Waikiki Beach be also designated.

Mr. Owens said that since the passage of this resolution it has been brought to public notice that the legislature has no power to set aside park reservations and that only the changing of the Organic Act would permit the local lawmakers to take any action. He stated that Mr. McClellan, secretary to the Delegate to Congress, had suggested that the Research Club invoke the aid of Representative W. W. Harris in presenting a joint resolution in the legislature, asking the Governor to take the necessary steps to request Congress to amend the Organic Act accordingly.

Mr. Owens suggested the appointment of a committee to act with Representative Harris in the matter. Senator Dickey arose and said that he did not know before that the legislature had no power to make a park, as the last legislature had already set aside a park reservation in Hilo, concerning which there had been considerable trouble in naming, and which was finally named after some of Admiral Beckley's ancestors. He said that the act was law, having been passed by the legislature and signed by the Governor, but if the situation had been explained rightly, the law was probably unconstitutional.

This announcement will probably give the Hiloites and Admiral Beckley some uneasiness.

The chair appointed Mr. Owens as secretary of the legislative committee, and will appoint the four other members later.

The chair also brought before the club a previous suggestion that the club find permanent quarters. The committee in charge of the matter was not present to report on its investigations.

The chair stated that at a future meeting Mr. Ashley, director of the U. S. Weather Bureau, would give a practical talk on how the weather conditions are observed by Uncle Sam. Also that Chief Justice Frear would favor the club with a topic of considerable interest.

The remainder of the evening was devoted to a discussion of dainty refreshments. A piano recital was also given by Mr. Owens.

KUHIO OFF ON SONOMA

Delegate Is Ready to Start for the Capital.

Delegate Kalaniana'ole will leave either on the Sonoma next Tuesday or on the Korea a few days later en route to Washington to attend the coming session of Congress. The Delegate will be accompanied by his secretary, Mr. George B. McClellan.

The Delegate expects to go straight through to Washington, making as few stops en route as possible. Princess Kalaniana'ole will not accompany the Delegate but will probably go to the national capital in time for the inauguration of President Roosevelt in March.

FIRE STARTED BY ELECTRIC WIRING

Yesterday evening about 5 o'clock a fire alarm was turned in for the junction of King and Beretania streets. Smoke was issuing from the window frame of the triangular shaped brick house at that place. The paneling was ripped out but showed no sign of fire. The floor of the front room facing Ewa was torn up and the insulation of the electric light wires found to be burned. As the alarm was turned in almost immediately after the electric current had been turned on, there was not time for much damage to occur. The current was immediately cut off and the only damage, besides the breaking of the floor and the window frame, was a small amount of charred wood. Practically all of the smoke was caused by the burning of the insulation. The land on which the building stands is owned by Mrs. Rawlins and is rented by her to Lee Chew. He in turn leases the whole thing to C. Q. Yee Hop.

A Former Islander.

H. P. Wood, formerly of Hawaii and one of the best promotion workers in California, has been sent to Washington by the citizens of San Diego to represent that place during the session of Congress. Mr. Wood has, for several years, been secretary of the San Diego Chamber of Commerce. He visited this city last year and renewed acquaintance with many island friends.

MOTOR CAR FLORAL FIESTA FOR THANKSGIVING DAY

Twenty Auto Owners Willing to Participate In a Parade Which May Become an Annual Feature—Kapiolani Park the Place.

An automobile floral fiesta is the subject of an animated discussion at present, and if the plans mature the parade will be given on Thanksgiving Day, which falls on Thursday, November 24. Automobile and motor car owners, among them being Mr. C. W. C. Deering, Mr. Archie Young, Dr. Anderson, Mr. C. L. Wight and Mr. Gus Schuman have already signified their willingness to participate in such a parade and it is understood that nearly all auto owners will join in. At present it looks as though there may be twenty machines in the procession. This will include three steam White cars, one tonneau Rambler, three Locomobiles, three Oldsmobiles, a Ford and a Pope Tribune.

A meeting of those interested will be held at the Hawaii Promotion Committee rooms on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock to discuss the matter and to decide whether the parade shall be entirely of motor cars or whether horse vehicles may be permitted.

The matter is as yet only in the preliminary stage and is open to suggestions, alterations or additions to the present plans. Governor George R. Carter is taking an interest in the proposition and hopes to see the parade one which will reflect credit not only upon the participants but upon the city. If the fiesta is successful it is proposed that the floral parade be an annual feature, always to fall upon Thanksgiving Day, a time of the year when flowers are abundant.

Kapiolani Park has been mentioned as the place for giving the parade, the surroundings being in perfect accord with the floral parade idea, as nearly all vistas in the Park give a variegated background of flowers and greenery.

COMMITTEE CONSULTED

As to Attorney Generalship—The Accounts Commission.

"He may reconsider his decision," Governor Carter said yesterday afternoon on hearing that U. S. District Attorney Breckons had "definitely refused the post" of Attorney-General, as a paper just out stated.

Before making the remark above quoted the Governor had said: "I have written to the Republican Central Committee for suggestions they may have to make regarding the Attorney Generalship."

Mr. Breckons said last night that the report of his definite refusal of the office had not been given to the press by him. For the present he preferred not to discuss his communications with the Governor.

Governor Carter has settled on two of the three members to be appointed on the Public Accounts Commission.

LYCURGUS MAY BUY THE VOLCANO HOUSE

George Lycurgus is negotiating for the purchase of the Volcano House and if the deal is made he will run it in connection with a hotel to be built in Hilo on the site of Demosthenes Cafe. The deal has had its ups and downs during the past month or so and is now said to be in better shape. Mr. Lycurgus, who has made a success of the Grill wants to expand his interests and failing to get the Royal Hawaiian Hotel he proposes to branch out on the big island.

HEADLESS TRUNKS.

Ghastly Find In Wreckage Discovers In Mid Pacific.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 12.—The schooner Gotoma, which arrived here early this morning from Kurile island, reports that on August 4, when forty miles south southwest of Cape Curat, she sighted a mass of floating wreckage. She made out parts of a mast. Captain Macomber later succeeded in getting closer to the wreckage and established that it was from the Japanese troopship Kinshu Maru, which was sunk by the Russians last April, when 200 perished. Entangled in the wreckage were a number of headless trunks. How those who perished were beheaded is a mystery which perhaps will never be solved.

TARIFF AID FOR SUGAR OF THE PHILIPPINES

Secretary Taft Proposes a 25 Per Cent Cut From Dingley Rates.

Editor D. R. Anthony Dead—Weber Family Were Murdered—Populist Wants New Party. No Cholera In Philippines—Skirmishing at Mukden.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLEGRAMS.)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—Secretary Taft proposes a bill for the reduction of the tariff on Philippine sugar to 25 per cent, below the Dingley rates. His recommendations in regard to changes in the army uniforms will be carried into effect.

MURDER PRECEDED THE BURNING OF THE WEBERS

AUBURN, Cal., Nov. 12.—Four bodies of the Weber family have been recovered from the ruins of their house, partly burned. All had been shot to death. Adolph Weber, a son, is under surveillance. The late Mr. Weber was a wealthy retired brewer.

WIRELESS FOR BALLOONS.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 12.—The practicability of wireless communication between the earth and a balloon has been demonstrated at the World's Fair.

FAMOUS FIGHTING EDITOR OF KANSAS PASSES AWAY

LEAVENWORTH, Kas., Nov. 12.—D. R. Anthony is dead.

Daniel Read Anthony was the famous fighting editor of Kansas. Going there in troublous days with positive convictions and no end of pluck, he edited the Leavenworth Times, with a pen in one hand and a pistol in the other. Attacks upon him were common and he was either the hero or the victim of numerous shooting affrays. Col. Anthony was born Aug. 22, 1824 at South Adams, Mass. He was a brother of the famous Susan B. Anthony, who survives him. He was educated in the common school at Battenville, N. Y., and afterwards worked for his father as a clerk in his store, and also in a cotton mill. He removed to Rochester, N. Y., in 1847, and to Kansas in 1854. Was Lieutenant-Colonel in the Union Army 1862-3; editor of Daily and Weekly Times for over 40 years; Mayor of Leavenworth, 1863 and 1872; member of Kansas Legislature, 1873; postmaster Leavenworth, 1874-1885; Government Director of the Union Pacific Railroad in 1886. He was married January 21, 1864, to Annie E. Osborn of Edgartown, Mass.

A THIRD PARTY WANTED.

CHICAGO, Nov. 12.—Ferrish, the National Chairman of the Populists, has issued a call for the formation of a new party.

NO CHOLERA IN PHILIPPINES.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—Gen. Wade reports that cholera has disappeared from the Philippines.

FIRE IN ANACONDA.

ANACONDA, Col., Nov. 12.—Fire is raging here. One block had been burned up to midnight.

SKIRMISHING NEAR MUKDEN.

MUKDEN, Nov. 12.—There is continuous skirmishing here.